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Retro Series™ Refrigerator

Instruction Manual

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SAFETY

Your safety and the safety of others is very important.

We have provided many important safety messages in this manual and on your appliance. Always read and obey all safety messages.

This is the safety alert symbol.

This symbol alerts you to potential hazards that can kill or hurt you and others.

All safety messages will follow the safety alert symbol.

All safety messages will tell you what the potential hazard is, tell you how to reduce the chance of injury, and tell you what can happen if the instructions are not followed.

Appliance Specifications:
115 Volts, 60 Hertz
120 Watts
3.1 Cubic Feet

IMPORTANT PRECAUTIONS

1. NEVER immerse appliance in water.
2. NEVER use near water.
3. NEVER use an abrasive sponge or cloth on the appliance.
4. NEVER leave appliance unattended while in use.
5. NEVER place anything other than foods and beverages in the appliance.
6. Unplug unit from outlet when not in use and during cleaning.
7. DO NOT operate this appliance with a damaged cord or plug, nor if the appliance ever malfunctions.
8. Keep out of reach of children.
9. This appliance is NOT A TOY.
10. Unsupervised young children and cognitively challenged individuals should never operate this appliance.
11. Young children should be supervised while in proximity of the appliance to ensure that they do not play with it.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

Basic safety precautions should always be followed when using electrical appliances, including the following:

1. Read all instructions before operating this appliance.
2. To protect against electrical shock do not immerse cord, plug or any part of this appliance in water or other liquids.
3. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used near children.
4. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
5. This appliance is not intended for use by children, cognitively, or physically challenged individuals, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
6. Unplug from outlet when not in use, before removing parts and before cleaning.
7. DO NOT operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, nor if the appliance has been damaged in any manner. Return the appliance to the nearest repair shop for examination or repair.
8. The manufacturer does not recommend the use of accessory attachments. Use of accessory attachments may cause injuries.
9. DO NOT use outdoors.
10. DO NOT place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, nor in a heated oven.
11. Extreme caution must be used when moving this appliance.
12. DO NOT use the appliance for other than its intended use.
13. Check appliance for presence of foreign objects prior to use.

14. ⚠ NEVER put anything living into the refrigerator for risk of severe injury or death.
15. DO NOT cover or block any ventilation openings on the appliance.
16. Keep the internal temperature as high as you can, which will reduce energy consumption and save you money.
17. DO NOT continuously open and close the refrigerator and freezer door during normal use.
18. Keep the drawers, stabilizing rods and shelves consistent with their original placement in the refrigerator.
19. A short power supply cord is provided to reduce the risk resulting from becoming entangled or tripping over a long cord.
20. Longer detachable power supply cords can be used if care is exercised in their use.
21. DO NOT let cord hang over the edge of a table or countertop.
22. The marked electrical rating of an extension cord should be at least as great as the electrical rating of the appliance.
23. This appliance has a three-pronged plug. To reduce the risk of electrical shock, this plug is intended to fit into an outlet only one way. Do not modify the plug in any way. This appliance must be grounded. Connect only to properly grounded outlet.
24. The circuitry for the refrigerator must be isolated. The area of cross section of wire must be larger than .75mm^2. The power plug should have its own socket, as an adapter may cause the socket to overheat.
25. The voltage and frequency of this product should be 115V, 60Hz. Contact an authorized service technician if the wire is damaged.
26. DO NOT interrupt the power by pulling the power supply cord and/ or pulling the power plug out of its socket directly.
27. DO NOT damage the refrigerant circuit.
28. All maintenance on this unit should be done by an authorized repair technician.
29. DO NOT put bottled beverages in the freezer, as they may break and/or explode.
30. ⚠ DO NOT put sealed containers of hot sauces, soups and foods into the refrigerator without cooling off first. Hot sauces, soups and foods placed into the refrigerator will grow bacteria and can cause food poisoning.
31. ⚠ DO NOT store explosive substances such as aerosol cans with a flammable propellant in this appliance. This appliance is intended for household use and similar uses such as:
    - Staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments
    - Farm houses and by clients in hotels, motels, bed and breakfasts and other residential environments
    - Catering and similar non-retail applications
32. If the refrigerator light fails, consult an authorized service technician or electrician.
33. ⚠ **DANGER! RISK OF CHILD ENTRAPMENT!** Before you throw away your old refrigerator or freezer, **TAKE OFF THE DOORS!** Leave the shelves and drawers in a place so that children may not easily climb inside.

34. DO NOT dispose of this product as unsorted municipal waste. Collection of such waste separately, for special treatment, is necessary.

35. It is best to not store objects on top of this appliance which are magnetic, heavy or filled with water or other liquids. Electronic components may not work if water gets inside of this appliance. Do not store valuable objects, objects that are adversely affected by temperature or serum, bacterin, etc. inside or on top of the appliance.

36. ⚠ **SPECIAL SAFETY NOTICE:**

- If gas leaks from its container, don't pull the plug out or in, as it may cause sparks or fire.
- Don't splash water on the back of the appliance, as it may cause malfunction or electric shock.
- Don't store flammable materials such as ether, benzene, gas and glue in the refrigerator.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the RETRO SERIES™ REFRIGERATOR from Nostalgia Electrics™! This compact 3.2 cubic foot refrigerator-freezer allows you to store and keep cool snacks, beverages and more - anywhere you need them! Best of all, this mini refrigerator-freezer has the look and feel of a fabulous 1950s diner, but has the appeal of a modern appliance. It's a fun and stylish addition to any kitchen!

Features include:

- Full-range adjustable thermostat
- Two removable shelves
- Spacious, clear vegetable/fruit crisper
- Separate Freezer Compartment
- Reversible door can be easily adjusted to open from right or left
- Can dispenser holds up to 6 cans of beverage
- Tall bottle storage for 2-liter beverage
- Bright interior lighting
- CFC free

SPECIFICATIONS AND PARAMETERS

- Climate Class: T
- Capacity:
  Freezer = 6.6 gallons Refrigerator = 16.6 gallons
- Current: 1.05 A
- Rated Voltage: 115 V

- Rated Frequency: 60Hz
- High Side: 320psi
- Low Side: 120psi
- Energy Consumption (kWh/24h): .83
- Refrigerant (oz): R134a/1.69oz
- Foaming Agent: Cyclopentane
- Light Power: 10 Watts
- Interior Temperature:
  Freezer = < 5˚ F Refrigerator = 32˚ F - 46.4˚ F
- Dimensions:
  Width = 19.13" Depth = 21.1" Height = 33"
- Weight: 65lbs.

PARTS & ASSEMBLY

Your RETRO SERIES™ REFRIGERATOR is fully assembled. Before using, remove all packing materials from inside the refrigerator. Check the refrigerator for any damage, such as misaligned or bent door, damaged door seals and sealing surfaces, broken or loose door hinges and latches and dents inside the refrigerator or on the door. If there is any damage, DO NOT refrigerator. Return damaged item to the store where it was purchased.

The refrigerator you purchased may be improved, and may not be completely consistent with this instruction manual. However, the function and operating methods should be the same.

PARTS

1. Freezer
2. Light and Temperature Control Knob
3. Removable Shelves
4. Vegetable/Fruit Crisper
5. Stabilizing Rods
6. Bottle Storage
7. Can Dispenser

HOW TO OPERATE

Before first use, remove all adhesive tape from the drawers, shelves, trays and drain tube plug.

INSTALLATION

1. The refrigerator should be placed on a completely flat surface. Allow 1 foot of space on each side of the refrigerator and between the refrigerator and the wall. Also allow at least 8 inches of space between the top of the refrigerator and the ceiling.
2. Choose a location for your refrigerator that is not exposed to sunlight, high temperature or humidity, as humidity may stain and damage the refrigerator.
3. The appliance can be adjusted by rolling the two legs in the bottom front of the refrigerator if it becomes unstable. Raise the refrigerator by rolling the two legs clockwise.
4. The surface of the location where the refrigerator is installed should be firm and flat. If refrigerator is not secured in a proper location, noise and vibration may occur. The noise may be increased if the floor is not firm. If you have to position the refrigerator on a carpeted floor, place a sheet underneath the refrigerator to prevent heat emissions from ruining the carpet.
5. Make sure that legs are pressed firmly into the floor and allow the refrigerator to lean backward slightly so that the doors remain closed.

PLACEMENT OF FOOD

1. There should always be some space between items inside for air circulation.
2. Food should be kept in sealed containers to avoid becoming dry, spoiled or creating odors in the refrigerator.
3. Hot food should be cooled down before placing into the appliance. Otherwise, bacteria will grow in food.
4. Reducing the frequency of opening the doors can lower the electronic consumption.

NOTE: Do not use any electronic equipment inside the appliance.

ADJUSTING TEMPERATURE

The temperature of the refrigerator can be controlled manually by the knob. However, the number shown on the knob does not correlate to the degrees. The higher the number, the lower the interior temperature of the refrigerator will be.

0 = OFF	4-1 = Higher Temperature
4 = Normal Use	4-6 = Low Temperature

PACKING AND MOVING

Save packing materials if possible and remember how materials are packed in the box. Repack refrigerator and accessories carefully.

DO NOT lift or pull the doors or door handles during transportation.

When moving, do not tilt appliance more than 45 degrees. Be very careful not to bump the refrigerator into anything.

HELPFUL TIPS

- **The refrigerator does not work.**
  It may not be properly connected to the power supply, or the voltage may be too low.
- **The refrigerator does not work as efficiently as expected.**
  It may be caused by heavy frost, the temperature setting being to warm, or by frequently opening and closing the door.
- **It makes strange noises**
  The noises may be caused by the refrigerator not being stabilized. Make sure that the surface that the refrigerator is on is flat and firm. Noise can also be caused by resonation between the refrigerator and objects near it.
- **The compressor keeps working for a long period of time.**
  The temperature may be too high. This can also be caused by the frequent opening and closing of the doors, or by the door being left open. Try moving the temperature setting between 4-1.
- **The inside of the refrigerator has a bad odor.**
  Food with a strong odor should be packed in tightly closed containers before storing in the refrigerator or freezer. Make sure to regularly clean out your refrigerator and make sure that you do not leave spoiled food in the refrigerator.
- **Water is leaking from the bottom of the refrigerator.**
  The drain tube is probably jammed. Contact a qualified technician to repair it.
- **Heavy frost occurs in the back of the appliance.**
  Putting humid or hot food into the refrigerator or freezer may cause this problem. Or it may be caused by a lot of moisture in the environment.
- DO NOT place objects on top of the refrigerator that are magnetic, heavy or filled with water. Electronic components may not work properly if water gets inside. DO NOT store valuables or objects sensitive to temperature inside the refrigerator or freezer.

CLEANING & MAINTENANCE

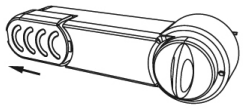
To prolong the life of your RETRO SERIES™ REFRIGERATOR, please follow these simple instructions for maintenance. This appliance should be maintained and cleaned frequently. For your safety, pull plug from socket before cleaning.

- **Interior Maintenance**
  Clean the interior of the appliance with clean, soapy water.
  Wipe dry with a non-abrasive cloth or towel.
- **Outer Maintenance**
  Wipe outside of refrigerator with a dry, non-abrasive cloth or towel.
- **Door Gasket**
  It is easy to damage the door gaskets with oil, sauce, etc. Be very careful when cleaning.

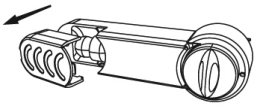
CHANGING THE BULB

Uninstall the cover and replace the light with a 220V/10 Watt bulb. Follow the directions below:

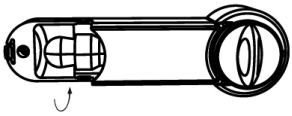
1. Push the cover outward.



2. Take off the cover.



3. Rotate bulb in a counterclockwise direction and remove.



DEFROSTING

Heavy frost will effect the efficiency and performance of the refrigerator and can create increased energy consumption. If the frost inside of the freezer gets as thick as ¼ inch, you must defrost the refrigerator. Follow these steps to defrost the freezer:

1. Remove all food from the refrigerator and freezer.
2. Uninstall the drawers and shelves.
3. Unplug the power supply cord.
4. Open the doors and wait for the appliance to thaw completely.
5. Clean up the water with dry towels.

NOTE: DO NOT use any other equipment or method to force the defrost process. It may ruin the cooling system.

DISCONNECTING THE APPLIANCE

After a power failure the refrigerator can keep food cool for several hours if doors are kept shut.

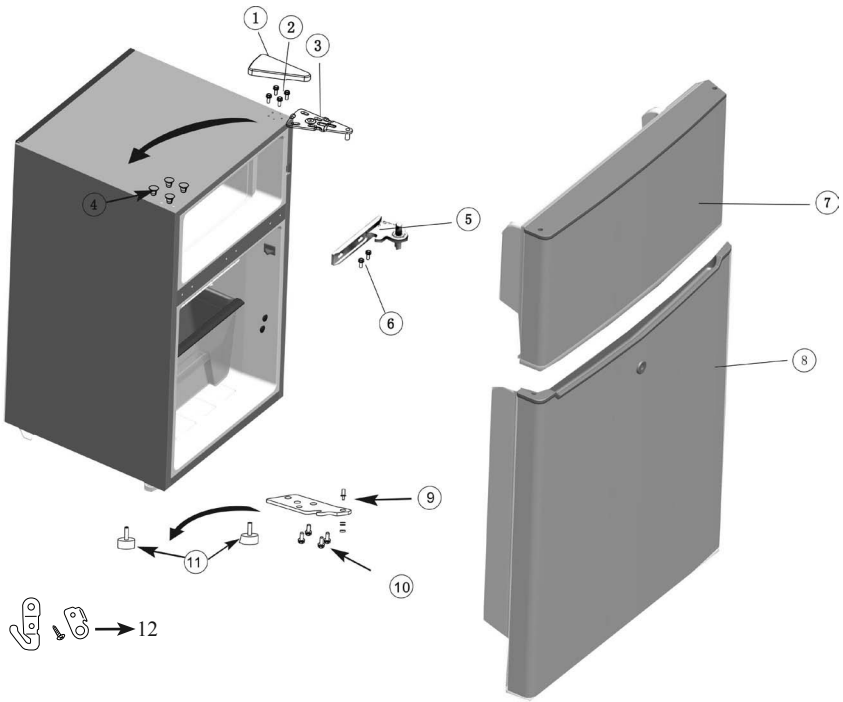
If the power fails, do not put additional food into the refrigerator or open the doors.

If you plan to have your power shut off for an extended period of time, make sure to remove all perishable food from the refrigerator or freezer first.

If you stop use of your refrigerator for an extended period of time, unplug the appliance from the outlet.

Always wait at least five minutes after unplugging the power supply cord before plugging it back in.

REVERSING THE DOOR



1. Top Hinge Cover
2. Top Hinge Screws
3. Top Hinge
4. Cabinet Plugs
5. Middle Hinge
6. Middle Hinge Screws
7. Top Freezer Door
8. Bottom Refrigerator Door
9. Bottom Hinge
10. Bottom Hinge Screws
11. Leveling Legs
12. Left Door Closer

- Remove the Top Hinge Cover and unscrew Top Hinge Screws, then remove Top Hinge and Cabinet Plugs.
- Lift the Top Freezer Door and place it on a padded surface to prevent scratching.
- Unscrew the Middle Hinge Screws and remove the Middle Hinge.
- Lift the Bottom Refrigerator Door and place it on a padded surface to prevent scratching. Remove the Leveling Legs.
- Unscrew the Bottom Hinge Screws and take away the Bottom Hinge to the corresponding position of right side, fix the Bottom Hinge.
- Set the Bottom Refrigerator Door in its place making sure it sits on the Bottom Hinge.
- Attach Middle Hinge to the corresponding position on the right side.
- Take off the Right Door Closer from the bottom right of Top Freezer Door and install the Left

Door Closer that came in the plastic bags with instruction manual to the bottom left of Top Freezer Door. Set the Top Freezer Door in its place making sure it sits on the Middle Hinge.

- Attach Top Hinge to the corresponding position on the right side.
- Install the Top Hinge Cover on the Top Hinge and install Cabinet Plugs to the corresponding position on the left side.

RETURNS & WARRANTY

SHOULD YOUR UNIT NOT WORK OR IS DAMAGED WHEN YOU FIRST TAKE IT OUT OF THE BOX, PLEASE RETURN IT TO THE PLACE OF PURCHASE IMMEDIATELY.

RETRO SERIES™ REFRIGERATOR / RRF325BLUE SERIES

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